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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Group No.: 3761

Serial No.: 10/027,235

Examiner: J. Stephens

Filing Date: 20 December 2001

Title: AESTHETICALLY IMPROVED SIDE
PANELS FOR DISPOSABLE
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME FOR FILING
OF RESPONSE UNDER RULE 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This Petition is filed with the Response to Restriction Requirement in response to the Office Action mailed 16 September 2003. The time period for submission of this Response was set to expire 16 October 2003.

I hereby certify that this correspondence (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

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Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner for an extension of time of one (1) month for filing the Response in the above-identified application, such extension to expire 16 November 2003, which time is within the statutory period.

The Fee set in Rule 1.17 for the above-period is enclosed. If there is any deficiency or overage in the Fee required for the above-requested extension, please charge or credit Deposit Account No. 19-3550. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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